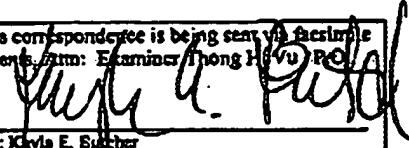


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Petitioner, Microsoft Corporation, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Washington and having its primary place of business at One Microsoft Way, Redmond Washington, in the county of King, and the state of Washington represents that it is the owner of the entire right, title and interest in U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/809,641, filed on March 15, 2001 and entitled SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ADDING HARDWARE REGISTERS TO A POWER MANAGEMENT AND CONFIGURATION SYSTEM, by virtue of our assignment recorded at Reel 011894, Frame(s) 0237.

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